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OXAZOLIDINONE DERIVATIVES	)	
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Issued: February 8, 2005	)	July 14, 2006

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**of Correction**

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STATUS INQUIRY REGARDING CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER RULE 322

Sir:

Patentee filed a request for Certificate of Correction Under Rule 322 on April 26, 2005; a copy of that request is attached hereto. To date, no Certificate of Correction has been received by Patentee's attorney.

An inspection of the image file wrapper for this case shows the request on April 26, 2005. In addition, a "Miscellaneous Internal Document" (dated May 25, 2005; a copy

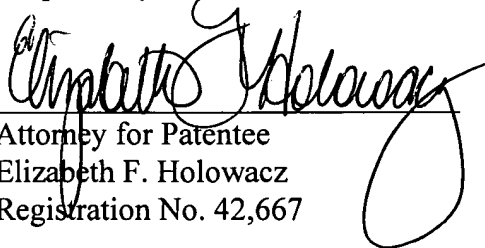
of which is attached) is also contained in the image file wrapper; this document appears to be an internal inquiry regarding the request filed. Finally, inspection of the image file wrapper shows an entry for "Certificate of Correction" (dated June 10, 2005; a copy of which is attached); however, the certificate is for U.S. Patent No. 6,853,350 and not for the present case.

Accordingly, Patentee respectfully requests issuance of the Certificate of Correction originally requested on April 26, 2005. As can be determined upon quick review, the corrections requested comprise correction of two Patent Office errors, i.e., the misspelling of a publication name and the omission of a paragraph from the examples.

Patentee does not believe that any fee is due with this inquiry; however, any such fee may be charged to Deposit Account 06-1205.

Patentee's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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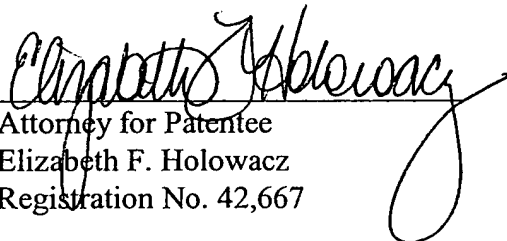
CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER RULE 322

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued by the Patent and Trademark Office due to errors which appear in the printed patent as a result of Patent and Trademark Office mistakes. A Certificate of Correction form, in duplicate, is enclosed.

Patentee's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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PATENT NO. : US 6,852,875 B2

DATED : February 8, 2005

INVENTOR(S) : INDRA PRAKASH

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

ON COVER PAGE (56) REFERENCES CITED

Other Publications, "Chemmiker Zeitlung 1990," should read --Chemiker Zeitung 1990,--.

COLUMN 7:

Line 25, "acid." should read --acid. ¶

Neo-aspartic acid (5 mmol) was dissolved in 2,2-dimethoxypropane (10 ml) and 1,4-dioxane (10 ml). p-Toluenesulfonic acid (0.5 mmol) was added to the reaction mixture and refluxed for 48 hours. The solvent was removed from the reaction mixture, extraction using dichloromethane was performed, the organic layer was concentrated by vacuo and the residue was checked via <sup>1</sup>H NMR. 2-[(4S)-3-(3,3-dimethylbutyl)-2,2-dimethyl-5-oxo-1, 3-oxazolan-4-yl]acetic acid was obtained in about a 20% yield and with low purity.--.

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Column 12.

Line 40, please replace "of a spiral arm and a" with -- of a spiral arm and said --.

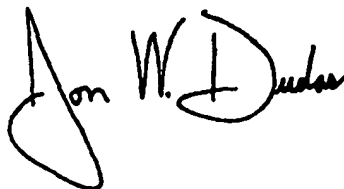
Line 53, please replace "between the spiral that are" with -- between the spirals that are --.

Column 13.

Line 13, please replace "spiral arm and a spacing S" with -- spiral arm and said spacing S --.

Signed and Sealed this

Fourteenth Day of June, 2005

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized, with a large, looped initial "J" and a distinct "D" at the end.

JON W. DUDAS  
*Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office*

**SPE RESPONSE FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

**DATE** : 5-20-2005

**Paper No.:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TO SPE OF** : ART UNIT \_\_\_\_\_

**SUBJECT** : Request for Certificate of Correction on Patent No.: 6,852,875

A response is requested with respect to the accompanying request for a certificate of correction.

Please complete this form and return with file, within 7 days to:

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With respect to the change(s) requested, correcting Office and/or Applicant's errors, should the patent read as shown in the certificate of correction? No new matter should be introduced, nor should the scope or meaning of the claims be changed.

*Magdalene Talley*

Thank You For Your Assistance

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**The request for issuing the above-identified correction(s) is hereby:**

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All changes apply.

☐ **Approved in Part**

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**Comments:**

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